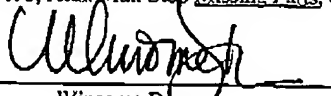


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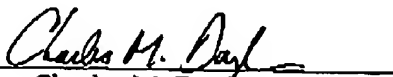
The description given for Figure 3 is a synopsis of Figures 3A - 3D, that is fully supported in the specification. Likewise the description given for Figure 4 is a synopsis of Figures 4A - 4B, also fully supported in the specification.

The information given does not constitute new matter, but an explanation of the figures supported in the specification.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 500812 for \$130.00 (pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h)), or any additional fee or credit overpayment.

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